

## EDUCATIONAL AND OPERATIONAL PLANNING

At least every 5 years the district shall conduct an in-depth needs assessment. One purpose of this assessment is to assist the district in developing and evaluating an improvement plan for the school district. The second purpose of this assessment is to determine the areas of student performance, knowledge, and attitudes and the areas of school district operations that are judged to be most crucial in meeting school or school district goals. As part of its assessment, the district shall review its process for communicating with business and the community regarding their expectations for adequate student preparation. The improvement plan shall describe the district's beliefs about topics which shall include the nature of learning, the purpose of the school district, the scope of educational experiences that the school district should provide, the nature of its learners and a description of a desirable learning atmosphere.

Legal Reference:	Neb. Statute	79-526 79-701, 702 79-729 79-1301
	NDE Rule	10-004.01A1 10-004.02A1 10-004.07
Cross Reference	102	Educational Philosophy of the District
	201.01	Board Powers and Responsibilities
	203.06	Board Committees
	604.01	Basic Instruction Program